

Application No. 09/145,255

Supplemental Reply under 37 CFR 1.116 - Expedited Procedure - Technology Center 3736

In the claims:

Please cancel claims 10-14 without prejudice.

Please amend claim 15 as follows:

15. (once amended) A method for assessing a subject's ability to utilize support surface inputs from one of the subject's first and second supporting legs, such method comprising:

A. providing two support surfaces, and standing the subject on the support surfaces so that each of the two support surfaces has only one leg resting thereon;

C2 B. fixing the support surface on which the first leg rests, so that it does not move;

C. configuring the support surface on which the subject's second leg rests to permit rotation of the subject's foot associated with the second leg as the subject sways; and *permitted*

D. measuring the subject's ability to maintain an equilibrium position.

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